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Technical cooperation in the transformation of
Eastern European economies

The Governing Council,

Recalling General Assembly resolution S-18/3 of 1 May 1990, the annex to which contains the Declaration on International Economic Cooperation, in particular the Revitalization of Economic Growth and Development of the Developing Countries, which states in paragraph 35 that "Eastern European countries should be supported in their efforts to integrate themselves into the international economy", and that this "will benefit their own people and the rest of the world; it must not detract from the high priority placed on international development cooperation with the developing countries",

Further recalling General Assembly resolution 45/199 of 21 December 1990, the annex to which contains the International Development Strategy for the Fourth United Nations Development Decade, which recognized, in paragraph 8, that the reform and restructuring of the economies of Eastern Europe and their integration into the world economy could contribute to the strength and dynamism of world trade,

1. Takes note with appreciation of the information 1/ provided by the United Nations Development Programme during the discussion of the programmes

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1/ Including an informal conference room paper dated 12 June 1991 entitled "Technical cooperation in the transformation and recovery of European economies in transition: the role of UNDP" (available in English).